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In re application of

Josee GOIAY et al.

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USE OF ANTIBODIES AGAINST CD20
FOR THE TREATMENT OF THE
GRAFT VERSUS HOST DISEASE**AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.821-1.825**

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of February 5, 2002, and in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 concerning requirements for patent applications containing nucleic acid sequence or amino acid sequence disclosures, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 20, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--For the amplification, 40 ng of plasmid were brought in a final reaction volume of 100 μ l in 10 mM KCl, 10 mM (NH₄)₂SO₄, 20 mM Tris HCl, pH 8.75, 2 mM MgSO₄, 0.1% Triton X-100, 100 μ g BSA, in the presence of 0.8 μ l of a solution of 2.5 mM dNTP, 500 ng of primer "sense" (C GGGATCCAAAATGACAACACCCAGAAATTG (SEQ ID. No. 1)), 500 ng of